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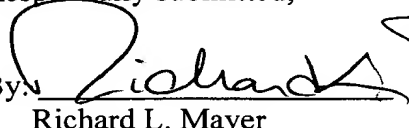
Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified patent application is an Amendment.

This is also a Request under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the three-month response date by two months from November 26, 2004 to January 26, 2005.

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